

Present:

UCC Voting: Robert Aboolian, Judith Downie, Delores Lindsey, Yi Sun, Olaf Hansen

UCC currently nonvoting: Jule Gómez de García

Ex officio: David Barsky, Virginia Mann, Brittany Russo

1. We followed up on several items from our minutes from October 13.
 - a) David Barsky informed us about his conversation with Rocio Guillen, the Computer Science department would like to keep the instruction mode C2 for CS435. UCC approved the course proposal for CS435.
 - b) Elizabeth Matthews approved the proposed course change for PSCI366. UCC approved the course proposal with the new title “The Search for Peace: The Arab-Israeli Peace Process.”
 - c) We approved the course proposal for DNCE311 and decided to wait with the approval of DNCE490 until we get more information (course outline or syllabus) from Karen Schafman. David Barsky will talk directly with Karen so UCC understands better if this course is supposed to be similar to an independent study course for dance.

I think we actually forgot then to formally approve the minutes from October 13.

2. We discussed the course proposal for BRS364. First it was noted that some formulations in the course description, like “textured social space” seem to be very discipline specific and not very comprehensible to students. UCC will ask the originator to modify the course description. It was noted that signature of the program director is missing and UCC also decided to ask GBM and the Economics department for signatures. This is considered as a way to inform these departments about the existence of this new course which might be interesting for their students. Connected to the missing signature of the program director is the question in how far the Liberal Studies department has discussed the placement of the new course inside the Border Studies and the EMS option.
3. UCC discussed the course changes for WMST301, WMST341, WMST375, and WMST407. For WMST407 Virginia Mann will clarify which title (item 3 or 4 in C2-Form is correct). Also the course description for WMST407 contains the word “bixsexual” and Virginia Mann will clarify the meaning too, or if this is a typo. Also the Sociology department will be informed about the course changes for WMST301 and WMST407, because the new course titles seem to be closer to their field. The Political Science department will be informed about the course title change of WMST407.
4. We started to discuss the B.S. Child and Adolescent Development. David Barsky informed the committee about the development of the new proposal and the fact that although CSUSM has a [Hegis code](#) for child development, students from North County can still transfer to San Diego State for this major. Olaf Hansen will try to prepare a list of courses for other Child Development programs (Northridge, San Diego State) for comparison reasons.

Olaf Hansen